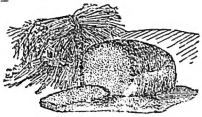


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We cannot bear with the angels
The song that the angels sang,
As over the hills of Judah,
Their glorious message rang
Of a Christ that was born in a manger
A Saviour meek and mild,
Who left his home in glory,
And became a little child.

Our ears cannot catch the music
Nor the words of that sweet refrain,
That came from celestial choirs,
A sweet and solemn strain,
Of "glory to God in the Highest"
On earth peace, to men good-will,
That floated to earth from Heaven
That night in the midnight still.

We cannot go with the wise men
And follow the blessed gleam
Of the silver star that beckoned
To the Hope of a nation's dream;
Nor ours to give to Him treasures
Of frankincense, myrrh and gold,
Nor ours to gaze on the traces
Of the Christ-Child's manifold.

But hark! the air is pulsing
With the vibrant angel song
In our hearts we catch the message
And the gladness notes prolong,
As they ring down the long-past ages
Of peace on earth, good will to men,
And the Star leads ever onward
To the Babe at Bethlehem.

A DOUBTFUL COMPLIMENT

A young matron was entertaining
The new clergyman, and at dinner he
proved to be so brilliant that
the table was in a continuous state
of laughter.

Finally, when the dinner was over,
the hostess, drying the tears of mirth
from her eyes, sighed: "If I were a
queen, I should certainly revive old
customs and have a fool present at
every meal."

HOLDING HIS OWN

The farmer, after seven years of
effort on the stony farm, announced to
all and sundry: "Anyhow, I'm holdin'
my own. I hadn't nothin' when
I come here, an' I haven't nothin' now."

PROVINCIAL WORK FOR UNEMPLOYED

Active measures to deal with unemployment have been taken by the Alberta Government during the past month. As far as possible various public works in the province have been kept under way, providing for the employment of several hundred men.

In a statement to the press, Hon. Alex. Ross, Minister of Public Works, outlined this work which the Government has under way. A total of 210 men are now employed on bridge work throughout the province, and a similar number are employed on graveling as weather permits.

Contracts have been let for 75,000 feet of piling. Of this quantity about 50 percent will be croqueted, a new departure, which will save timber and croqueted. Orders have been placed for a million feet of timber for bridge work, and orders for another million feet will be placed shortly.

During his eastern visit, Premier Greenfield has impressed upon the railways the desirability of ordering coal from the steam coal mines of the province. As a result orders have been placed and several of these mines were opened up the past week. The railways have also been asked to make an effort to place orders for ties as soon as possible.

The Department of Public Works is also getting out figures on quantities for contracts for rock cutting on the highway through the Crow's Nest Pass, work on which will be undertaken as speedily as possible.

Removal of Settlers from South A total of 405 settlers with 992 loads of effects have to date requested removal from the south-eastern part of the province to other districts of Alberta, under the arrangements in effect between the Provincial and Dominion Governments and the railway companies.

Some thirty families have taken up lands in the irrigated belts, chiefly on the Government-endorsed projects of the United and Lethbridge Northern districts. The settlers removing have, for the most part, shown a determination to decide for themselves the location of their future homes, and in view of this, the Government has not attempted to force the trend of removal to any particular district, although it has been impressed upon these settlers the advantages of the Government irrigation projects. Many of those removing have remained in the foothill districts of Southern Alberta, while the remainder have found suitable locations in Central and Northern parts of the Province.

\$129,239,000 IS VALUE OF OUR FIELD CROP

Dominion Gives Its Preliminary Estimate—Canadian Crop \$948,665,000

Alberta's field crop this year is estimated by the Dominion bureau of statistics to be worth \$129,239,000, and the crop of the Dominion is placed at \$948,665,000, the total for the whole of Canada being greater than that of last year, but the provincial yield is about \$36,000,000 less.

The Alberta total is made up as follows:

Wheat	\$2,429,000
Oats	256,350,000
Barley	6,475,000
Rye	3,490,000
Peas	85,000
Beans	8,000
Mixed grains	137,000
Flaxseed	165,000
Potatoes	2,302,000
Turnips, etc.	1,836,000
Hay and clover	2,500,000
Alfalfa	1,664,000
Fodder corn	985,000
Total, 1924	\$129,239,000
Total, 1923	\$135,140,000
Total, 1922	\$9,946,000

The items on which Alberta was lower this year were: Wheat, grain hay and alfalfa. Wheat, last year, with our big crop, at a price of 65c, meant a total of \$108,440,000. The heavy cutting of grain hay last year was put down as worth \$12,502,000. Owing to the recent strength that the potato market has shown, may prove to be a little low.

THE FAMILY HERALD CALENDAR

The Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal has commenced the distribution of a beautiful calendar for 1925 with a picture subject entitled "The Sale of Old Dobbin'." The publishers announce that the calendar will be sent free to each subscriber whose subscription is entered for 1925. The Family Herald Calendar has been greatly admired by those who have received advance copies.

Professor J. B. Reynolds, M.A., President of the Ontario Agricultural College, said in a recent letter: "I am sure 'The Sale of Old Dobbin'' will be welcome in every farm home to which it goes."

When one considers that the calendar is given free in addition to 400 issues of this big 72 page weekly, for which the subscription price is only two dollars, one marvels at the value received.

The Family Herald and Weekly Star has always been noted for its superexcellence as a family and farm paper, its low subscription price and generous premiums.

INTERPRETATIONS

An old-time negro preacher was reading and commenting upon a chapter in the Bible which dealt with genealogy. When he came to the passage, "And seven sons did Milca bear," he paused and explained as follows:

"Now, brethren and sisters, dis Jes' means dat dey run out o' milk at dat house—de cows had went dry, or didn't come up or somethin', and de boys went out and colch a bar and milked her. Dem boys could milk anythin'!"

She Knew What She Wanted Anyway

One man said to another in the first weeks of December, "What are you going to give your wife for a Christmas present?"

"I don't know yet," said the other. "She put it away in a drawer before I had a chance to see it."

Here and There

At the close of Montreal's 1924 season of ocean traffic on December 3, the Harbor Master announced that 1,222 ocean and coasting ships arrived in the port during the year as against 1,114 in 1923 and 1,194 in 1922, the best previous season. It is believed that a new record has also been established in the number of lake vessels visiting the port.

The service operated by the Laurentide Air Service to the gold-fields of Rouyn, Que., which was successfully inaugurated this summer, will be continued during the coming winter. Travellers will make the journey in luxury, closed machines with plush seats and a carrying capacity of six passengers being employed.

Canada stands out to the intending British emigrant as the most attractive of the Dominions, according to General Bramwell Booth, head of the Salvation Army, who has just completed a tour of this country. The army is now considering the establishment in western Canada of a training school for boys who wish to take up farming there.

Another fine new station was made available to the public by the Canadian Pacific Railway when the company's new building at Schreiber, Ont., was opened by H. J. Humphrey, general superintendent of the Algoma district, on December 11. This structure, which replaces the former frame building, is of modern fireproof construction. It will also house the superintendent of the Schreiber division and his staff.

Three times winner of the world's champion wheat prize at the Chicago Live Stock Show, including this year's prize, J. C. Mitchell, Agoma, Alta., sailed for the Old Country on a demonstration tour aboard the Canadian Pacific steamship "Montaurier" on December 12. Mr. Mitchell states that prize wheat is improving each year and that exhibits which would have won first prize twelve years ago now seldom take higher than fifteenth place.

Within a radius of forty miles from Taber, a small town in the heart of the settled southern district of Alberta, antelopes estimated to number 1,000 are running wild. The prairie antelope was once almost extinct but protective measures put into force have saved the species and present indications are that this splendid game animal may soon increase to an extent rendering an open season possible and adding greatly to Alberta's attraction for sportsmen.

One of the heaviest rushes ever experienced by the Canadian Pacific Railway in connection with its traditional Christmas sailings to the British Isles was experienced this year. A special train from the West to Montreal was required for the accommodation of passengers for the company's steamship, the "Montaurier," sailing December 12 from St. John, N.B., while one or two specials or extra sections from Montreal to St. John and extra sections on the Imperial, the Canadian Pacific transatlantic, were required daily for steamship passengers during that same week.

HER PLACE

"Sam, what's a farmerette?"

"Well, Bill, a farmerette's a farm woman, but not a regular, honest-to-goodness farm woman—the ette part of it means something kind o' fancy, you know."

"I see—like the kitchenette, hey? Supposed to be a kitchen, but just a fancy kind o' clothes closet with a little gas-stove in it. But what good's a farmerette?"

"Why, Bill, I reckon the place for the farmerette is in the kitchenette."

FIRE VICTIMS NOW TOTAL THIRTY-FOUR

List Expected to Go Higher as Many Injured Are in Critical Condition

(Hobart, Okla., Dec. 27.—The number of deaths due to the Babbs Switch schoolhouse fire on Christmas Eve rose to 34 yesterday with the death of John Goforth, and the list was expected to go higher as several of the injured were in a critical condition.

Night cloaked the Hobart cemetery as the last of the eight bodies buried yesterday were laid to rest. In one grave sleep the three Clements sisters, Mabel, Mary, Louis, Mrs. Juanita Clements Stephenson and the three-year-old daughter of Mrs. Stephenson.

Volunteer workers were unable to finish yesterday the huge trench in which 20 bodies will be buried. A wreath of flowers, a last mark of devotion to his sweetheart, went into the grave with Gladys Clements, whose dance, Claude Bolding, severely injured, is in a hospital. They were to have been married Wednesday. Crawling on hands and knees, dodging in between shuffling feet and

straining bodies, a tiny girl, Lella Biggers, four and a half years old, escaped without a scratch.

"I crawled until I got out into the cold," was the simple way in which Lella described her escape. The child was listed among the missing in early lists. Her two brothers, Walter and William, died in the fire, and her mother, Mrs. W. H. Biggers, was probably fatally burned.

It is believed a number of other small children escaped injury or death in the same manner.

A FEW CONUNDRUMS

What games do the waves play?

Pitch and toss.

How do bees dispose of their honey? They cell it.

What soup would cannibals prefer? A broth of a boy.

What is the oldest lunatic on record? Time out of mind.

When is a clock on the stairs dangerous? When it runs down and strikes one.

Why is a pig in the kitchen like a house on fire? The sooner it's out the better.

Why are troublesome visitors like trees in winter? Because it is a long time before they leave.

HOLIDAY GREETINGS

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KNOX CHURCH CHRISTMAS TREE

A fine programme, a good crowd, and everybody in the right spirit made the annual Christmas tree of Knox church a real evening. In spite of the cold weather, which made the training so difficult, the children put in the extra effort and excelled themselves. The church was nicely decorated, the gift tree not being forgotten by the children. The opening part was a pageant, "The Path of Promise." The subject was the story of the coming of Christ from the Call of Abraham to the first Christmas morning. This was in charge of Mr. Blackmore, with Mrs. Gillespie and Mrs. Brown as assistants. Each period had its own scenery and setting, the actors were all dressed appropriately for their part, each scene being opened and closed by a chorus of about

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CONDOR NEWS

December 24th. Miss Jackson, of Prairie Rose school, and Miss Mast, of Northrup school, both left on Saturday to spend Christmas holidays at their respective homes.

Monday's wind and snowstorm has put the roads in an almost impassable state, and is causing considerable hardship to settlers and stock.

Much of the feed that was still in the fields is completely buried and will be with difficulty salvaged. Many of the school entertainments have had to be cancelled owing to the children being unable to attend.

A dance held at Condor on Friday night was well attended in spite of the roads and kept up until nearly train time in the morning.

Mrs. N. Eastman is intending spending Christmas in Calgary with N. Eastman, who is at present engaged in business there.

HOW CANADA COMPARES WITH OTHER COUNTRIES IN WHEAT PRODUCTION

(Experimental Farms Note)

As the value of the wheat crop on the prairie is normally about fifty per cent of the total value of the entire annual production of wheat in Canada, it is interesting to learn how the yields of this important crop in Canada compare with those in other countries. Briefly stated, Canada has a much higher average yield of wheat per acre than any other country. Briefly stated, Canada has a much higher average yield of wheat per acre than any other country. Briefly stated, Canada has a much higher average yield of wheat per acre than any other country.

The average yield per acre of wheat over a period of 25 years in the following chief exporting countries of the world, is as follows: Canada 17.5 bushels, United States 12.1, India 11.3, Argentina 10.6, and Australia 10.4.

In Russia the average yield over a period of 15 years was 8.4 bushels per acre. It will be seen, therefore, that Canada enjoys some considerable advantage over other exporting countries.

The advantage of Canada is due in part to a natural adaptation of wheat to the soil and climate of this country. It is also due to the fact that Canada has a much higher average yield of wheat per acre than any other country.

Nevertheless, in spite of this very favourable showing in average yield per acre, Canada is unfortunately not having the greatest variation from year to year of any large exporting country in the world.

The lowest yield per acre ever secured in Canada as a whole, was 10.1 bushels in 1919, while the highest yield was 26.0 bushels in 1915. The five-year average yield of only 12.3 bushels per acre, from 1917 to 1921, had an average yield of only 12.3 bushels per acre, while the five-year period, from 1917 to 1921, had an average yield of only 12.3 bushels per acre.

The outstanding fact, then, in the Canadian production of wheat is that the average yield per acre is much better than in any other exporting country in the world, but that, unfortunately, the variation from year to year is also greater than in any other country.

The reason for this is due predominantly to variation in rainfall. When the season is dry the yield is reduced, and when it is wet the yield is increased. It is self evident, therefore, that experimental work is urgently required to try to improve this condition.

It is the object of Experimental Farms to experiment in order to discover methods of farming which will reduce the injurious effects of dry years. The high average yield per acre, which Canada now enjoys in comparison with that of other countries, is due in quite a large part to the results of scientific agriculture. There remains yet the difficult task of reducing the losses suffered in dry years.

DOINGS IN THE CANADIAN NATIONAL POULTRY RECORD ASSOCIATION

Another Egg Laying Contest year has been completed, and the Canadian National Poultry Record Association has added another very successful year to its history. The number of registered birds from the 1923-24 Egg Laying Contests is very much in excess of the number qualifying in former years. Indeed the increase is so great that the Contests which ended on October 20th, 1924, will have more birds registered than were registered in the two preceding years.

For the first time pullets from registered hens have themselves qualified and have been marked for registration, and these pullets will be the first mothers of registered cockerels. The mating season of 1925 will be the first of what is known as the second generation registered female, the daughters of first generation registered hens. Fortunately the breeder who has second generation females in his breeding pen for the mating season of 1925, will be the pleasure of having the first crop of registered cockerels.

That the securing of the second generation registered females is by no means an easy undertaking has been clearly demonstrated this past Egg Laying Contest year. All the pullets from registered hens did not lay the required number of eggs to qualify, which is 200, and of those that laid the required amount, many were disqualified as not laying eggs up to standard size which is 24 ozs. to the dozen. It was pleasing to those who have laboured so diligently at this work to know that there was a lower percentage of second generation birds disqualified for small eggs than of first generation ones.

Strict regulations were enforced to keep out of registration those whose eggs averaged less than 24 ozs. to the dozen, and the closest of checking was exercised in the matter of the generation birds. It is believed that by disqualifying for egg weights and allowing no registered cockerels to be produced who has less than two generations of female ancestors who have laid standard sized eggs, the size of the eggs produced where registered cockerels are used, will, in a very few years be very materially increased.

Just Plain
Surgeon: "I'll sew that scalp wound for you for \$10."
Patient: "Doc, doc! I just want plain sewing, not hemstitching and embroidery."

Trustful
Tommy (at tobaccoist's): "Please, father wants to know if it's true there's a tobacco trust."
Tobaccoist: "Quite true."
Tommy: "Well, father would like to be trusted for two ounces, please."

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BAPTIST S.S. ENTERTAINMENT

The annual Sunday School entertainment and Christmas tree took place at the Red Deer Baptist church on Tuesday evening. The following programme was presented:—

Hymn, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" by the School.
Prayer—Mr. Baker, Superintendent of the Sunday School.
Recitation, "They Put Me Here to Make a Speech"—Theresa Holmes.
Recitation, "The King's Throne"—Joe Mooney.
Exercise, "What He Gave," by the Junior Girls' class.
Recitation, "Holy and True"—Page Greig.
Duet, "Rings and Christmas Bells"—Nina Gair and Rita Kelly.
Recitation, "The Star of Bethlehem"—Marguerite Kelly.
Recitation, "When I Grow Up"—Bobby McGregor.
Recitation, "Our Doctor"—Arthur Milne.
Recitation, "When Christmas Comes"—Donald Halliburton.
Recitation, "Christmas Greetings"—Joe Randall.
Recitation, "Her Reply"—Mary McGregor.
Recitation, "Grandma"—Marion Locke.
Exercise, "The Snow Fairies"—The Junior Girls.
Recitation, "Christmas Comes But Once a Year"—Ceil Holmes.
Recitation, "I Love You"—Irene McGregor.
Song, "A Wish"—Jean Mills.
Song, "Jesus Loves Me"—The Primary department.
Recitation, "Christmas Chimes"—Ronald Smith.
The closing number of the programme was a pantomime of the hymn "Silent Night" by the members of the Junior Girls' class.

The lights in the church were dimmed and the hymn was sung by Mrs. H. T. Cox, accompanied by Mrs. Locke. A pantomime which was repeated from Sunday night's programme, was very pleasing and impressive.

Santa arrived on time, with a full pack, and distributed gifts of fruit, nuts and candy to all present.

ROTARY LUNCHEONS Will Be Held at McBride Hotel on Mondays

The Rotary Club have made arrangements with the McBride Hotel for taking care of their weekly luncheons in 1925, and the time of holding the luncheons has been changed from Friday at 12:30 to Monday at 12:30. The Club officers and members very sincerely appreciate the choice service the ladies of Knox Presbyterian Church have given the Club when it was almost impossible to get the service and accommodation otherwise, and at the meeting last Friday, the Club put on record the following resolution of thanks, on motion by Rotarians Boller and Johns:—

"In parting with the Ladies' Aid of Knox Presbyterian Church, Red Deer, the Red Deer Rotary Club desires to place on record its sincere and deep appreciation of the admirable service the ladies have rendered to the Club at its weekly luncheons.

"The Knox ladies went out of their way to make provision for the weekly meeting place of the Red Deer Rotarians. In the twenty-one months of our association together they have ever been ready to accommodate the Club in changes of regular arrangements, and only on one occasion was a five-minute extension of time asked; the service was such as to draw the highest compliments from our visitors and was always one of which we felt proud.

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PENGELLY-YEUDALL

(Edmonton Bulletin, Dec. 18, 1924)
A quiet and pretty wedding was celebrated yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Yeudall, 1016 72nd Street, when their daughter Agnes Sloan, became the bride of Mr. Frederick John Pengelly, of Red Deer. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. P. D. Pennington. The bride was given in marriage by her father, and was a pretty town of ivory silk robe, with wedding veil and orange blossoms and carried a bouquet of pink roses. The bride was attended by Miss Millicent Reid, who wore a pretty gown of sand silk and carried a bouquet of pink roses. Mr. Ernest Pengelly stood by his brother as best man. The bridegroom's gift to the bride was a diamond ring and to the bridesmaid a gold brooch.

After the ceremony, a delicious supper was served from a pretty decorated table centered with a three-tier wedding cake and pink and white roses. Among those present at the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. A. Weatherspoon, Archie Weatherspoon, Mr. Robert Weatherspoon, Mrs. Thomas Wilson, and Messrs. William Hugh, Dave and John Yeudall, four brothers of the bride.

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THE PASSING OF THE YEAR

Once again we have come to the last issue of the year, and have to look back over its days and reckon up the balance of its achievements or its failures. It has not been a year of outstanding events. Perhaps it is not ungracious to say that in some respects it has been a disappointing year. To us in Western Canada, a poor grain crop, such as this last has been, gives a rather sombre character to the whole year as we look back on it. However, the check is only a temporary one, and there are more cheerful and more enduring advantages to set against it. There has been an increased setting down to steady work in the country. There has been the beginning of a renewed stream of immigration. We have been fortunately free from anything like serious political troubles. Our people as a whole have had health, and their necessary wants have been supplied. How great a blessing is contained in these things, may easily be learned by any who take the trouble to look abroad amongst other nations of the world. If it is good to rise from table with an appetite, so it may be reckoned good to end the old year and begin the new with a feeling of well-being, done and tasks to be faced manfully and hopefully.

We notice certain individuals to whom the passing of the year is as the lifting of a dark shadow. For the last twelve months the untamed bacchus have been walking warily after the manner of men under the suspended sentence of Leap Year. Some of them have even developed an anxious hunted look as if they expected a hand to be laid suddenly on their shoulders and a soft voice whisper in their ears: "Come with me and choose the ring." These coy little creatures are now beginning to get quite bold again and even to develop something of a swagger like men who have done four days in the front line trenches and are looking forward to twelve days in the reserve dugouts. While no one grudges them their brief elation, they might be reminded that quite a number of casualties occurred in the last hour of leaving the trenches, and that there are dangers not to be laughed at in the dances and social gatherings that bid the Old Year farewell and welcome in the New Year. With this grave and serious warning, we join the hope that for all our readers the New Year will bring success, prosperity and happiness in all their ways.

LOCAL STORES AND MAIL ORDER BUYING

There is always a certain amount of discussion and controversy going on in small towns as to the merits of buying in local stores as opposed to buying from some of the great departmental stores in the large cities which do a mail order business. Certainly a considerable amount of money does go out of almost every small town in Canada to buy goods from some of these great stores, and the farmers buy in this way on an even larger scale in all probability than the residents in the towns. It is entirely natural that local storekeepers should dislike this mail order buying at a distance, which robs them of trade which they would otherwise get. On the other hand, no one can fairly blame the buyer who buys on the cheapest market. After all, he is entitled to say that a storekeeper carries on business for his own benefit. The Liberals are active along lines quite devoid of originality and ideas. The Conservatives are now leaderless through the resignation of Mr. Blair, and they seem to be quite content to do little or nothing in the way of organization and preparation. If there is no reasonable possibility of getting substantial support for a Conservative party as such in Alberta, might not Conservatives and those of no regular

political affiliations give their attention to the formation of something like a plain, businesslike party, ready to treat unceasingly on their strict merits alone? As things now are it looks as if Conservatives can have little hope of having any effect on the course of Alberta politics in anything like the near future. That is a matter for regret, and it is difficult to believe that it is really necessary.

EDITORIAL NOTES

As Mayor-elect John observed at Monday's Council meeting, citizens owe a great debt to retiring Mayor Dr. John Collier. There is no one who has given so much time to the city business, and he has served during the hard times when there was much drudgery and little glory. Let it not be truly said that he did the work and was paid in abuse, but rather let us lean the other way and overdo the credit.

It was only fitting that H. G. Stone and Ralph Patterson should be re-elected officers of the Agriculture Society for 1925. During 1924 the Society had to meet very adverse circumstances. They had to make and abide by very bold decisions contrary to the wishes of the Western Canada Fair Association. In the face of that they got splendid judge reports—probably the best they ever received—and they showed a substantial surplus on the year's operations. A great deal of the credit must go to the President and Secretary, and with the same two in again with added experience a splendid year should be the result.

Viscount Cecil has been awarded a Peace Prize. It is very fitting that he should be so honored, but why overlook General Foch. He brought a hurried peace quite suddenly only a few years ago.

Our hockey team are deserving of more backing in the way of attendance than they have been getting. They have a poor average in the league, but they are a team of game to be ashamed of. They haven't got used to the "dne, new, covered ink yet."

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

From The News, December 29, 1909.
Mr. Johnson, a hardware merchant of Penhold, was run into by a police team driven by a man named Coffin and died after being brought to Red Deer Memorial Hospital. Constable Wilson, R.N.W.M.P., of Innisfail, who had loaned the team to Coffin, contrary to regulations, committed suicide by shooting himself with a revolver.

A. Speakman was re-elected Secretary of the Penhold U.P.A. E. Carswell was retiring President, and T. P. Parsons was elected to fill that position.

The Castor Advance started publication under Frank Wallis.

Orton Snider was very badly hurt when he fell off a bridge near Camrose. He was a member of the Red Deer Fire Brigade, who sent Xmas cheer to him in hospital.

No. 1 wheat was 80c, oats were 25c, and barley 35c.

Geo. F. Root advertised his farm, Spruce Bluff, for sale.

E. Michener and J. A. Carswell purchased the Alford Block.

TEN YEARS AGO

From The News, December 30, 1914.
The War: British aviators attacked Cuxhaven at the mouth of the Elbe. The Russians suffered a reverse near Craow. The Western battle front did not show much change.

J. Grant MacGregor had opened in business in Red Deer, Alberta. He delivered a splendid address at the Horticultural Society.

Married—Miss Elizabeth Morton to Alex. Greenway.

Wheat, No. 3, was 91c. Oats were 40c. Barley 49c. Hogs were 5.70 at the co-operative market.

HOME FOR ELDERLY CHRISTIAN SCIENTISTS

The Mother Church of Christian Science, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts, is taking steps to establish a permanent home for elderly persons whose length of service in the Cause of Christian Science, good works, and other circumstances, furnish special reason for generous provision by Christian Scientists. This institution will be financed and supported by voluntary contribution of many of the Christian churches, societies, associations and individuals. The treasurer of The Mother Church has already received contributions for this purpose. This home will be located at Pleasant View, the beautiful spot near Concord, New Hampshire, where Mrs. Eddy, the Discoverer and Founder of Christian Science, lived for many years. It will be called "The Christian Science Pleasant View Home." A few years ago the Christian Science benevolent Sanatorium was established at Chestnut Hill, Massachusetts, but it is a temporary resort for persons in need of healing or rest, where as the home now being established will furnish a permanent residence, to the extent of its capacity, to those whose service in the Cause of Christian Science has been long and faithful. Mrs. Eddy, having approved such benevolence, the announcement of this plan is being welcomed by Christian Scientists throughout the world.

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It is said that the Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal works on the principle that nothing but the best will do for its readers. The soundness of this policy is amply demonstrated in its rapidly growing subscription list of this great western city. The public have been tempted by trashy weeklies at giveaway prices, but when it comes down to value for your money and a genuine Canadian flavor to your reading, the Family Herald and Weekly Star has no competitor. This year we see that the publishers are giving each subscriber whose subscription is received in time a large calendar for 1925 with a beautiful picture entitled "The Sale of Old Dobbin," and a free entry to a contest in which ten thousand dollars will be awarded. The subscription price of the Family Herald is only two dollars a year.

ROD AND GUN FOR JANUARY

The January number of Rod and Gun in Canada comprises a variety of interesting stories and articles in addition to the excellent regular departments. Today's Hospitality from the pen of H. V. Eastman is a well-written and entertaining story, while the first installment of Close Races by A. J. Cochrane is one of the thrilling adventures of a seal hunter. In his Winter Snipe or "Winter Oxygene" Bonaventure Deshaumes furnishes interesting and valuable facts concerning a rare and little-known Canadian bird. The other regular contributors of stories, J. W. Wilson, F. V. Williams and Marvin Hunter uphold their reputations in fine style and a number of articles on miscellaneous subjects of interest to sportsmen, including that of conservation, will be sure to hold their attention. The regular departments, conducted by the departmental editors, are all up to the mark, and contain an unusually great number of the magazine. Published monthly by W. J. Taylor, Limited, Woodstock, Ont.

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One Monday a little boy, who had been to church the day before, thought he would have a church of his own. He arranged his four sisters in front of him, then stood up on a stool and spoke very loud. This is the text of the real sermon that he preached:

"This is to be a 'mindmother' sermon. There are two ways in which you ought to mind everything she says."

"Mind her the first time she speaks. When mother says, 'Mary, please bring me some coal or water,' or 'Run to the shop,' don't answer 'in just a minute, mother.' A girl or boy ought to mind a great deal longer than the ones the clock ticks off. When you say 'yes' with your lips, say 'yes' with your hands and feet. Don't say 'yes' and act 'no.' Saying 'Yes, in a minute,' is not obeying, but doing 'yes' is."

"Mind cheerfully. Don't scowl when you have to drop a book, or whine because you can't go and play. You wouldn't own a dog that minded you with his ears laid back, growling and snapping. A girl or boy ought to mind a great deal better than a dog."—The Watchman.

THE THINKERS

The world cannot get along without its thinkers. Noise and bustle, toil and machinery, have their place in our civilization, but quiet thinking means more than all. The world is so crowded with its space and time-devouring inventions, and America and Europe are eager to hear what each other has to say, and what with telephones and radio, and all the multitudinous noises of the great city men may imagine that the thinker has been crowded off the map; but they are greatly mistaken. The world may ever sit at the feet of its thinkers to learn what it needs to know; and the great thinkers will map out the path which the world's multitudes must tread.

SOME JOKES

Simkins considered himself a humorist. He sent a selection of his original jokes to the editor of a newspaper, and confidently awaiting a remittance. His excitement ran high when he received a letter, obviously from the newspaper office.

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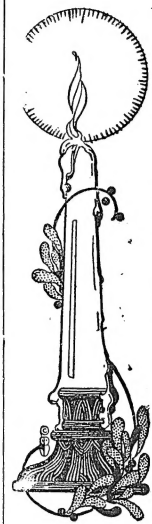
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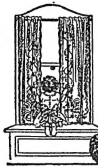
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Lord's Stock Reduction Sale Starts Monday, January 5

The recent storms materially reduced our December Sales and the consequent surplus stock must be moved quickly. Those who get to this sale early will fare the best, for there will be very lowest prices quoted right at the start. This page does not attempt to quote on the best values or to cover many of the lines. See the Advocate on Friday and the News next week for Sale Prices on leading lines. In the meantime come if convenient when the sale starts.

DRY GOODS

CLEARING LINES IN DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT



Drapery Chintz in attractive patterns of tan and green, rose and green, rose and blue, and other shades; 36 inches wide, at only **25¢ yard**

White Curtain Net with scalloped edge, 44 inches wide. Priced specially at **50¢**

Ivory Madras Curtain Material

with bound edge and conventional design; 36 inches wide, at **75¢ yard**

Colored Terry Towelling, natural and white stripes alternate with red and linen shades; 14 inches wide. Special at **19¢ yard**

Plain Heavy Cotton Towelling with red border stripes; 16 inches wide. Special price **17¢**

Pure Linen Bleached Table Covering in rose design. This is an imported Irish linen, 72 inches wide. Regularly good value at \$2.50. While it lasts **\$1.85**

8-4 Bleached Sheet of even texture; good weight, measures full 72 inches. Specially priced at **65¢**

41 inch Circular Pillow Tubing of very fine quality; of particularly good weight, almost free from filling. Specially priced at **59¢**

Colored Stripe Flannelette in pink, blue and tan stripe, good quality without much filling; 30 inches wide. Specially priced at **19¢**

Canadian Colored Flannelette in pink and white, blue and white stripe; 35 inches wide. Priced specially at **34¢ yard**

Grey and Khaki Military and Grey Army Flannel, 28 inches wide. Specially priced at **49¢**

Dark Shirting patterns suitable for men's shirts, children's clothing and quilt linings, in four very attractive patterns; 27 inches wide. Special at **25¢ yard**

Tartan Plaid Dress Goods in green, blue, red and brown combinations. Regular 65¢ for **39¢**

Silk Finished Velveteen in a rich shade of green. Regularly priced at \$1.00. Special **69¢**

All-Wool Homespun in several attractive shades of mixed green and fawn, blue and fawn, rose and natural; 58 inches wide. Regular \$2.50 for, per yard **\$1.75**

Wool Velour in a nice shade of taupe, of excellent weight and finish; 56 inches wide, at **\$2.95**

Wool Coatings in heather mixed combed tweeds in shades of green and brown, red and blue; the width is 58 inches, of excellent weight and reversible finish. Specially priced at **\$1.95**

GROCERIES

APPLES

No. 1 fancy wrapped, Wagners **\$2.50 box**
No. 1 fancy wrapped, Grimes Golden **\$2.50 box**
A few wrapped Spys **\$2.25 box**
Ontario Russets **10¢ lb**
These Russets make an extra fine eating apple.
Oranges, fancy Navel **30¢, 40¢ and 60¢ doz.**
Jap Oranges **\$1.20 box**

A FEW SPECIALS FOR THE HOLIDAY

Extra Special Fancy Table Raisins **Regular 50¢ lb 2 lbs for 55¢**
Extra Special Turkish Table Figs **Regular 40¢ lb 2 lbs for 55¢**
Extra Special California Table Figs **Regular 25¢ lb 2 lbs for 35¢**
Mixed Nuts **2 lbs for 45¢; 5 lbs for \$1.00**
Celery **2 lbs for 25¢**
Lettuce, head or leaf.
New Rhubarb and Cauliflower

FRESH VEGETABLES

Carrots and Beets **6 lbs for 25¢**
Parsnips **5 lbs for 25¢**
Cabbage **6 lbs for 25¢**
Potatoes, white **\$1.20 bushel**

BUTTER AND EGGS

Creamery Butter **40¢ lb**
No. 1 Dainty Butter **32½¢ lb**
Cooking Butter **27½¢ lb**
Eggs, No. 1 storage **55¢ dozen**
Eggs, No. 2 storage **45¢ dozen**
Eggs, new laid **65¢ dozen**

THIS WEEK'S SPECIALS

Proctor & Gambles Soap Special
P. & G. or Gold Soap **17 bars for \$1.00**
1 pkt. Chipso, 1 pkt. Sopade, 8 bars P. & G. for **\$1**
Soda Biscuits, Dollar size **Special 65¢ box**
Herrings in Tomato Sauce, Reg. 15¢, 4 tins **25¢**
Kipperd Herrings, Reg. 15 tin **4 tins 25¢**
Olives, plain, small bottles, Reg. 20 for **10¢**

MEN'S WEAR

JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE OF MEN'S OVERCOATS, SUITS, ODD PANTS, AND MACKINAW

Every item advertised here is a genuine bargain. Don't wait: come early while your size is here.

MEN'S OVERCOATS

11 only Men's Warm Dressy Overcoats in neat patterns of grey, green and brown mixed tweeds, set-in and Raglan sleeves; sizes 36 to 42. Regular values to \$27.50. January Clearance Sale Price **\$19.75**

6 only Men's Winter Coats in natty Tweed patterns, plaid back, half belt or three-way; all new goods. Regular values to \$37.50. January Clearance Sale Price **\$27.95**

MEN'S TWEED SUITS
Good strong Tweed Suits in dark brown and blue mixture; well made, good models; sizes 36 to 40. Regular \$16.50 values. January Clearance Sale Price **\$11.95**

MEN'S TWEED SUITS
9 only Men's Tweed Suits in grey and brown mixture; new patterns and models; sizes 36 to 44. Values to \$27.50. January Clearance Sale Price **\$18.95**

YOUNG MEN'S TWEED SUITS
Young Men's Two-piece Suits in neat patterns; strong, durable Tweeds; sizes 34, 35 and 36. Regular values \$13.50. January Clearance Sale Price **\$9.95**

BOYS' TWEED BLOOMERS
3 dozen Boys' Tweed Bloomers, mixed grey and brown tweeds, strong durable cloth for everyday wear; sizes 6 to 15 years. Regular \$2.50. January Clearance Sale Price **\$1.65**

BOYS' MACKINAW COATS
Boys' Pure Wool Mackinaw Coats in brown, blue and green; sizes 6 to 14 years. Regular \$6.50. January Clearance Sale Price **\$5.45**

MEN'S MACKINAW COATS
Men's Pure Wool Mackinaw Coats, blue, green and brown check plaid also brown heather; sizes 36 to 44. Regular values to \$8.75. January Clearance Sale Price **\$6.95**

MEN'S PULLOVER SWEATERS
Men's Wool Sweaters, pull-over style, roll neck; in brown, navy, grey. Regular values to \$2.95. January Clearance Sale Price **\$2.25**

UNDERWEAR
Children's White Combinations, part wool and cotton, of good weight and fine rib; long sleeves, ankle length, drop seat style. A few, but not all, are slightly counter soiled. Sizes 20, 22, 24, 26 and 28. Reg. up to \$3, to clear at **\$1.50** garment

Children's Pure Wool Vests in Watson's and Turnbull's. Regular \$1.90 to \$2.25, for **\$1.50**

Women's White Fine Ribbed Wool and Cotton Combinations in Stanfield's and Turnbull's; ankle length and half sleeves, and ankle length opera style. A few slightly counter soiled. Regular \$3.65 to \$3.95, at only **\$2.45**

Women's White Wool and Cotton, 2 and 1 Rib Combinations, high neck, long sleeves, ankle length, all sizes to 40. Regular \$3.75 to \$4.15. To clear at **\$2.85**

Women's Warm Natural Ribbed Drawers, in all sizes. Regular \$1.25. Specially priced at **75¢**

MILLINERY

A Remarkable Underpriced Offering

The time has come to clear our Winter stock, and our determination is evidenced by the prices at which our Millinery is now marked. In many instances the trimmings alone are worth the money we are asking for the completed hat. You must see them to fully appreciate the wonderful values.



Children's Hats in plush, velvet, velour with velvet crown, and other popular materials for children. Clearance price **95¢**

Misses' and Ladies' Sport Hats in heather mixed tweeds, and clearing at **\$1.95**

WONDERFUL OPPORTUNITY—All trimmed hats without reserve are in this clearance sale, and a choice of any hat can be made for **\$3.95** regardless of former price.

HARDWARE

No. 313 Sunbeam Oak Reg. \$14.50, Special **\$11.25**

No. 13, Fairy Oak Reg. \$15.75, Special **\$13.50**

No. 315 Sunbeam Oak Reg. \$18.75, Special **\$14.75**

Fawcett Ideal, Reg. \$20.75, Special **\$16.75**

No. 17, Fairy Oak Reg. \$22.50, Special **\$17.75**

No. 2500 Happy Thought Quebec Reg. \$29.75, Special **\$23.50**

No. 21 Alberta Gurney Reg. \$34.75, Special **\$26.50**

Return Flue Tank Heater, Reg. \$17.75, Special **\$15.25**

Cast Iron Tank Heater, Reg. \$14.75, Special **\$12**

Foot Warmers, Reg. \$4.25 to \$6.25. Special **\$3.25 to \$4.50**

CLOTHES WRINGERS AND WASHING MACHINES

Duchess Clothes Wringer Regular \$8.75, Special **\$7.95**

New Champion High Speed Washer, Reg. \$20.00, Special **\$14.50**

Sanitary Washer, hand-power. Regular \$25.00, Special **\$20.00**

Maytag Power Washer and Clothes Wringer combined; belt drive. Regular \$68. Special **\$55**

KEEN KUTTER FOOD CHOPPERS

large size. Regular \$3.95, Special **\$3.25**

Medium size. Regular \$3.35, Special **\$2.65**

Small size. Regular \$2.75, Special **\$2.15**

Creamer Cans, full size. Reg. 1.50. Special **\$1.15**

Milk Strainers, heavy tin, brass screen. Regular 70¢, Special **50¢**

Lanterns, long globe. Reg. \$1.50. Special **\$1.25**

Tea Kettles, 8 quart, nickelled. Regular \$3.25, Special **\$2.25**

Safety Razors, Gillette, Ever-Ready and Auto-Strop. Regular \$1.00, Special **50¢**

All Fancy Hand Painted China 33 1/3 % OFF

SCARFS AND TAMS

Pure Wool Jaeger Tams, in white and cream. Your choice while they last at **39¢**

Scarf and Tam Sets in Brushed Wool, plain color and also with colored border, per set **\$1.95**

Caps and Toques in Heavy Knit and Brushed Wool, plain and contrasting colors. Very specially priced at **89¢**

SHOES

BOYS' HOUSE SLIPPERS

Regular \$1.65 at **98¢ pair**
Black or brown kid leather with padded chrome soles and low rubber heels.

BOYS' HOCKEY BOOTS **\$2.95 and \$3.45 Pair**
Just what the boys want. Strongly made boots of black chrome leather, with smoke elk toe cap, ankle strap and facings; inside ankle support of pliable leather.

Sizes 11 to 13 at **\$2.95**
Sizes 1 to 5½ at **\$3.45**

BOYS' BUCKSKIN Moccasins

\$1.50 and \$1.65 pair
Made from selected soft tanned hides, strongly sewn with waxed thread.

Sizes 11 to 15 at **\$1.50**
Sizes 1 to 5 at **\$1.65**

BOYS' HORSEHIDE MOCCASINS

\$1.50 and \$1.65 pair

BOYS' SOLID LEATHER SCHOOL BOOTS at **\$2.95 pair**

Strongly constructed to stand the rough usage that boys put them to; black or brown; have sewed and rivetted soles; sizes 1 to 5.

YOUTHS' SOLID LEATHER SCHOOL BOOTS at **\$2.65 pair**

A splendid boot of good quality black box kip leather; neat fitting last, chrome tanned leather soles; sizes 11 to 13½.

WARM FLEECE LINED LEATHER BOOTS FOR MEN at **\$6.95 pair**

Just the shoe for curling, driving, etc.; brown or black calf leather with white wool fleece lining and felt inner soles; Goodyear welted chrome leather outer soles, half rubber heels; sizes 6 to 10.

SOLID LEATHER WORK BOOTS FOR MEN at **\$2.95 pair**

A splendid bargain for men who prefer a boot with a soft plain toe; soft chrome tanned leather uppers, with full bellows tongue; sizes 6 to 11.

"WILLIAMS" SOLID LEATHER WORK BOOTS FOR MEN at **\$3.95 pair**

A splendid boot made from extra heavy oil grain leather, plain toe, half bellows tongue, heavy soles are sewed and rivetted; sizes 6 to 11.

"SLATER" QUALITY BUTTON BOOTS **\$3.95**

Fine quality black calf leather, round toe last; sizes 6 and 7½ only.

MEN'S ALL WHITE GUM RUBBERS at **\$2.95**

Three-eyel height, heavy rolled edge soles; in sizes 6 to 10.

WOMEN'S HIGH TOP BUTTON OVERSHOES at **\$1.95 pair**

Regular \$3.75 pair. Warm fleeces lined overshoes to fit medium and Cuban heels, medium recede toes; sizes 2½, 3, 3½ and 4 only.

GIRLS' BUTTON OVERSHOES Regular **\$2.75 pair at \$1.65**

High black waterproof tops, fit low heels and round toe; sizes are 10, 12, 13½ and 1 only.

WOMEN'S COZY FELT BEDROOM SLIPPERS Regular **\$1.25 at 69¢ pair**

They are in black, navy and red; sizes 3 and 4 only.

GROWING GIRLS' STRAP PUMPS AND OXFORDS Regular **\$6.50 at \$1.98 pair**

HOSIERY

Women's Flat Knit Full Fashioned All-wool Heather Hose in green heather and brown heather mixed shades in all sizes. Regular **\$1.50** per pair for **79¢**

Women's Broad Ribbed All-Wool Stockings in the season's popular shades, in green heather and brown heather shades, clocked in silk embroidery; in all sizes. Regular **\$1.95** for **\$1.25**

Women's Art Silk Hose, full fashioned, of excellent quality, in shades of brown, sand, log cabin, and black; in all sizes.

A very unusual value at, per pair **75¢**

NIGHTGOWNS

Women's White Flannelette Gowns, trimmed with colored silk ribbon at the neck, and on the yoke and sleeves; V neck; buttoned front; all sizes. Regular **\$2.35** for **\$1.65**

Women's Fine Flannelette Gown, ribbon trimmed on yoke and sleeves, slip-on style. Regular **\$2.50** for **\$1.75**

NAZARENE CHRISTMAS PROGRAMME

The Christmas programme of the Church of the Nazarene was held on Tuesday afternoon at 3:30. Owing to the fact of bad roads and sickness, many of the country people were not able to be present, but in spite of all a goodly number attended and a very good programme was rendered by the Sunday School scholars, after which prizes were given by the teachers to the different classes and treats were given to all the scholars. We feel that our Sunday School year has been one of success, and wish to thank all the officers and teachers for the interest they have shown in the work. Our motto for 1925 "A Bigger and Better Sunday School." Wishing one and all a merry Christmas and a happy New Year. Andrew Hicks, Superintendent; A. R. Herring, pastor.

A SURE THING

A legendary Chinaman is said to have ordered from a proprietor of ivory studies in a South African port four cases for a funeral on the following Sunday. It was a Tuesday. The ivoryman was astonished. "Surely," he said, "you're not going to keep the corpse all that time?"

"No," said the Chinese, "him not dead yet." "But," was the rejoinder, "how do you know he'll die? And you'll have to pay for the case, you know, if you order them, whether you use them or not."

The Chinaman: "That's all right, mister. Him no die; make die."

GEMS OF THOUGHT

Truth, like beauty, varies in its fashion, and is best recommended by different dresses to different minds; and he that recalls the attention of mankind to any part of learning which thus has left behind it, may be truly said to advance the literature of his own age.—Johnson.

Poetry is something to make us wiser and better, by continually revealing those types of beauty and truth which God has set in all men's souls.—J. R. Lowell.

Men are but children of larger growth; our appetites are as apt to change as theirs, and full as craving, too, and full as vain.—Dryden.

A little tact and wise management may often evade resistance, and carry a point, where direct force might be in vain.—Athen.

Nature knows no pause in progress and development, and attaches her curse on all inaction.—Goethe.

The best perfection of a religious man is to do common things in a perfect manner.—Bonaventure.

How can we expect another to keep our secret if we cannot keep it ourselves?—Rochefoucauld.

Clap an extinguisher upon your irony if you are unappetizingly blessed with a vein of it.—Lamb.

One cannot always be a hero, but one can always be a man.—Goethe.

LONDON LAD'S DEFINITION

Teacher: "Who can tell me the meaning of the word 'appetite'?" Small Boy: "Please, sir, when you're eatin' you're appy, and when you're finished you're tight."

LETHBRIDGE MAYOR BLAMES PROVINCE

Hardie Nurses Grievance Over Double Platoon for Firemen

Lethbridge, Dec. 24.—Lethbridge is not represented at the conference held in Edmonton today to deal with the unemployed situation which has reached an acute stage in Edmonton, Calgary and Medicine Hat. Mayor Hardie holds to the view that nothing will be gained by his going to Edmonton. He has written his opinion that federal and provincial governments should shoulder the responsibility with the city in dealing with the unemployed by each contributing one-third, the remaining one-third being left to the cities to provide.

So far as Lethbridge is concerned, the mayor blames the provincial government for adding to the difficulty of the unemployment problem by causing the city to incur a liability of \$12,000 for the institution of the double platoon for the firemen, which money, wholly or in part, could have been well used for the relief of unemployment.

He condemns the government for the legislation with the twenty-four hours' rotary leave taken on for decision by a plebiscite. In reference to the double platoon there has been no call on the night men since it has been installed, that is, in the past six months. As it is, the night men have each done one night's work a week, that is the work imposed on one of the shift to attend to the telephone during the night. The others who come on at six in the evening go to bed at ten and have the whole day off on the next day when the day shift comes on.

By economies effected, said the mayor, he had cut the cost of the fire brigade down to half and now with the installation of the double platoon and the rotary leave the cost was doubled.

The city is looking after its own poor and unemployed in the best way it can through the relief administered by the nursing mission. But all the same, added the mayor, the \$12,000 which the provincial government has seen fit to force on the city would have been very helpful for dealing with the city's unemployed.

TWENTY-ONE DIE FROM THE SEVERE COLD IN CHICAGO

Intense Cold Moves from the Middle West on to the East

Chicago, December 27.—The middle west, which has been in the grip of near zero weather for most of the week, yesterday experienced a moderation of the cold, while the severe cold had moved eastward to the Atlantic seaboard.

A blizzard from the north, descending on Great Falls, Mont., was the forerunner of the new cold spell, and caused temperatures to drop from above freezing point to nearly zero within a few hours.

Rotary snowplows were out in this section yesterday, battling to keep roads and rail communication open. The last few days of storm and cold also did considerable damage to wire communications in the southwest.

Twenty-one deaths have followed in the wake of the Christmas cold, a check-up yesterday indicated.

IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA MAKES NEW ISSUE OF NOTES

Modern Bank Bills Recall Old Forms of Currency

The Fifteenth Annual Report of the Imperial Bank of Canada, which was presented at the recent meeting of the shareholders of that institution, shows that the Bank has fully maintained its position as one of the strongest and soundest financial institutions in Canada.

Marking this occasion, the Imperial Bank placed in circulation on December 22nd a new issue of Bank notes in denominations of \$5, \$10, \$20, \$50 and \$100. These notes are hand-some examples of fine bank note work embodying modern features of design against counterfeiting, which include fine steel engraved portraits of the President and General Manager.

The five and ten carry portraits of Mr. Peleg Howland, President of the Bank, on the left hand side of the face of the note, and of Mr. H. S. Howland, General Manager, on the right hand side. On the twenty dollar note a portrait of the President appears on the face in the centre with handsomely engraved lathe counters on either side carrying the denomination in prominent figures, while on the fifty and one hundred dollar notes Mr. Howland's portrait appears at the right and left hand sides respectively with engraved lathe counters, giving the designs a pleasing and artistic appearance. It is particularly appropriate that Mr. Howland's portrait should appear on the notes of the new issue replacing that on the issue now in use of his father, Mr. H. S. Howland, who was the first President of the Bank when it was founded in 1867.

Mr. Phipps is well known throughout Western Canada, having owned the Imperial Bank at Brandon in 1891, and having held various positions in the Bank's service at Brandon, Vancouver, Revelstoke, Calgary and Winnipeg, before his appointment to the general management in July, 1921. A uniform design has been adopted for the back of the notes with denomination of each shown in figures on either side of the Bank's Coat-of-Arms, and across the bottom in Roman lettering. These represent fine examples of steel engraving and printing.

The story of the gradual development of currency to the forms in common use today constitutes an interesting chapter in the country's history. In the earliest days when Canada was known as New France, in lieu of a better circulating medium, beads and other furs, wheat and tobacco were accepted in trade. When this custom the French Government introduced a system of "ordonnances" and card money which quickly led to dispute through depreciation. After the British occupation in 1763 the British Government introduced the dollar, importing large quantities of Spanish dollars for the purpose. In 1812 the first Government bills were introduced, and about 1817 the first bank note made its appearance. The first Bank Act, passed in 1871, authorized banks to issue notes for \$5 or more. Bills of \$5, \$5, \$7, \$8, and like amounts were then common. The regulation now in force restricts bank issues to notes of \$5 or multiples thereof.

Modern Canadian issues, such as the new issue of the Imperial Bank, are literally "as good as gold." The note holder is absolutely protected and the security reserve called the Bank's Circulation Redemption Fund, established in 1890, and contributed to by all banks. Short of out-and-out destruction, there are no circumstances which could possibly arise which would nullify the value of a Canadian bank bill.

RED CROSS WORK

The practical subject of Home Nursing has been included in the peace-time program of the Alberta Division of the Canadian Red Cross Society, and in many parts of the province the new Red Cross Home-Nursing Course is making progress. In no phase of life does it pay to be prepared in health matters and in the accidents and emergencies of everyday occurrences more than in the care of the young family. There is a crying need that women should know what to do and have the ability to do it in the thousand cases of illness when the services of a registered nurse cannot be obtained. That is the very need which this course of instruction will meet. It teaches not only the care of the family during sicknesses, but lays emphasis on the simple rules of Hygiene and Sanitation, in the observance of which lies the safety of the family and its immunity from disease.

It is clearly understood that the instruction given does not qualify students to practice for remuneration. It does, however, enable them to carry out intelligently the instructions of the doctor or graduate nurse who may be in charge of the case in sick cases. There are involved in the scheme the following: 1. Any group of women who wish to gain this knowledge. 2. A teacher.

The first is to be found in every community in the province. The second must be a graduate nurse, single or married, who resides in the district and is willing to give her service voluntarily. The third is the Home Nursing Manual compiled by the Red Cross for the conduct of these classes. The course consists of twelve lessons, the chief importance of which is the actual work, for in these classes practical demonstration forms a major part. At present seven classes are in operation at the following points: Hardisty, Tilly, Clara, Elmore, Blackie, Hartshorn, Carleton Place. Many more are in the process of formation.

This education is for every girl and woman in the province and each and every community should see to it that the young women of the district get an opportunity of learning what will be of infinite value to them for life—the care of infant life, the protection of home from disease, the establishment of a high standard of health, thus interesting in practical terms the objects of the Red Cross, "the improvement of health, the prevention of disease, and the mitigation of suffering throughout the world."

For particulars write Red Cross Head Office, Alberta Division, Calgary.

EXAMINER'S REVIEW OF PROVINCIAL MARKETS

Calgary, December 26.

Cattle.—Beef—Good cattle met an active market at Calgary, with an advance on choice females. Choice steers, \$14.50 to \$5; and top of \$5.50; good, \$2.75 to \$4.50; medium, \$3 to \$3.50; common, \$2 to \$3. Choice heifers, \$4 to \$4.25; good, \$2.50 to \$3.50; medium, \$2 to \$2.50; common, \$1.50 to \$2.50. Choice cows, \$3 to \$3.50; good, \$2.50 to \$2.75; medium, \$2.25 to \$2.50; common, \$1.50 to \$2.50. Choice bulls, \$1.75 to \$2.25; others, \$1 to \$1.50. Calves, \$1.50 to \$4; common and heavy, \$2 to \$3. Stockers, Feeders.—Not very much to trade on, but prices steady, with feeders \$2.50 to \$4; plain stockers \$2 and up to \$3.50.

Beef—Edmonton market was quiet, but there were some good cattle that kept the market up, though demand somewhat slow. Choice heavy steers, \$4 to \$5.25; choice light, \$4.75 to \$5; good, \$4.25 to \$4.75; medium, \$3.50 to \$4; common, \$3 to \$3.50. Choice heifers, \$3.75 to \$4; good, \$3 to \$3.50. Choice cows, \$3 to \$3.50; good, \$2.75 to \$3; medium, \$2.25 to \$2.50; common, \$1.75 to \$2.25; canners, \$1 to \$1.50. Bulls, choice, \$1.75 to \$2; canners to medium, \$1 to \$1.50. Calves, choice, up to \$4; plain heavy, \$2 to \$2.50. Feeders, Stockers.—Not much trading but prices steady at \$2.25 to \$2.50 on good feeders and stocker steers, \$2.25 to \$2.50.

Hops.—All markets have been stiffening and Calgary price Wednesday \$9 for

thick smooths, and bacon \$9.90; shop hogs and feeders, cut 10; sows cut 20 and 30.

Hog prices at Edmonton stronger and opening at \$5.75; sales were made up to \$5.25 on thick smooths; bacon 10 percent premium.

Sheep.—Good prices on choice lambs at Calgary and up to \$12.25, others around \$11; wethers \$10.50; and choice fat ewes with lambs \$10.50 to \$12. Sheep and lamb prices at Edmonton unchanged; lambs, \$11 to \$11.75; yearlings, \$9 to \$10; fat ewes, \$4 to \$7.50.

Grain.—Marketing during the week has been somewhat exciting, with the prices up to high points at times, and exporters, though hesitating at sharp advances, continue to take our wheat.

Poultry.—Turkey prices went down on both live and dressed this week, and for the latter part of this week and next there is no definite price quoted; returns will depend on how retail demand comes up into shipments. Trade reports fairly good; heavy receipts last week-end and first of this week start flow of chicken unchanged. Ducks and geese unchanged for live but dressed down. Eggs—No local movement; coast imports costing little more.

Butter—Cream—Cream—Creamery Butter—Trade steady and market firm and unchanged. Dairy Butter—Very little handled, but prices steady. Cream—Receipts very light; all prices unchanged. Cheese—Market firm and unchanged.

Potatoes.—Calgary trade reports supplies

light and A grade firm at \$35, for deliveries from growers.

Hay.—Not much new business, but with continuation of winter weather orders likely to improve after new year. Hides.—Western furs are bringing a little better price now with coyotes ranging \$1 to \$10; mink, \$1 to \$5; skunk, 75c to \$1.50; weasel, 50c to \$1.50. Present market outlook favorable.

Furs.—Prices unchanged, but dealers say another drop would not be surprising, unless Lanners start buying.

PASS IT ALONG

Has somebody said a kindly word about somebody else you know? Then pass it along as soon as you can. As far as the word will go.

Has somebody given a pleasant smile to somebody who was sad? Then copy the smile as soon as you can. And make somebody else glad.

Has somebody given a helping hand to somebody far afield? Then give one yourself as soon as you can.

To some one who needs a lift. For the word and the smile and the helping hand. Are needed along life's way. So pass them along as soon as you can.

To brighten somebody's day! —By Irene S. Woodcock.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

With the consciousness of an earnest endeavor to serve you during the past year, efficiently and well, we now look forward with anticipated pleasure to a continuation of your patronage during the coming year.

We wish each one a full share of the New Year's happiness.

COMMERCIAL CAFE

ANNUAL DOG DERBY AT THE PAS

Upper photograph shows C. B. Morgan's team, winners in the 1923 derby, with W. Grayson driving. In the centre is Shorty Russick, with his 1924 winners, which finished the 200-mile non-stop run in the record time of 23 hours 45 minutes. The lower photograph shows a sleigh loaded with 100 pounds weight, ready for the two-day freight race, which is an added feature of the 1925 derby.

DOG moushers in Northern Manitoba are out on the trail every day grooming their teams for the eighth annual 200-mile non-stop dog derby, which is being held on February 3rd, 1925. Although the race is still some time away, more than 100 dogs are being given their daily stint of trail work in preparation for the grueling task. Several teams, composed of young, well-bred wolf-hound huskies are being trained and this introduction of new blood is expected to lead to a new and startling pace to be set in the 1925 contest.

This year the teams will race over a new course, the Herb Lake gold camps having been set as the destination for the starting point. The starting line will be at the Hudson Bay Railway bridge over the Saskatchewan River, and the teams will follow a route which is served with telephone communication so that frequent progress reports will be available.

A five-day team freight race has been added to the programme this year to provide a new feature. In this sleighs will be required to carry a load of 100 pounds and the team will race 30 miles each day for two days. The object of this is to promote the breeding of good freight dogs.

The Carnival Queen contest is already attracting much interest with entries having been made from several western cities and towns. The queen and members of her court are the young ladies who secure the highest number of votes and these have all their expenses paid to and from the derby, and are also guests of honor during the entire week that the carnival is held.

Start the New Year Right

If you are in business you should start 1925 right by going carefully over your stationery and supplies and getting depleted stocks brought up to standard again.

We do all classes of printing and guarantee satisfaction. We ask an opportunity of quoting you on your next order.

Try your home print shop first.

THE RED DEER NEWS

A Happy New Year to All

GREETINGS: A Happy New Year to you, and our sincere thanks for the friendship and support you have given us during the past year. We hope for a continuation of the same during the coming year, and in return will do our best toward making your drug-store trading both pleasant and profitable to you.

A BIG SEASON FOR COLDS

The season just now. Prompt action against colds means fullest prevention against return of grippe, etc. We have the necessary remedies.

Some excellent remedies are: Buckley's Cold Treatment Bromide Quinine Cascara Tablets Riker's Syrup of Tar and Cod-liver Extract Compound Rexall Cherry Bark Cough Syrup Wampole's Preparation of Cod Liver Oil.

We have a CALENDAR for 1925 for you.

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Chaps on hands or face are not only unsightly but very unpleasant.

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NEW YEAR GIFTS

If you forgot somebody at Xmas, remember there are lots of nice gifts left that make good presents now.

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HARNESS CO.

Season's Greetings from the Store of
"GIFTS THAT LAST"

May the New Year
keep You Smiling
and Prosperous

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BOXING
REX THEATRE
THURSDAY, JAN. 15

WESTERN CANADA WELTER WEIGHT
CHAMPIONSHIP

TOMMY ROGERS
(Swift Current)

vs.

C. B. BELLAMY
(Olds)

FIVE ROUND PRELIMINARY

TED WILLIAMS, of London, England, vs. (opponent to be selected)

THREE ROUND PRELIMINARY

GEORGE DANCOCKS (Red Deer)

vs. ALEX NICHOLSON [Glasgow, Scotland]

RED DEER LOSE XMAS GAME

Red Deer hockey gang were the visitors at Lacombe on Christmas night, and a very good game was the result, the Lacombe aggregation winning by 6-4.

This was perhaps one of the fastest and cleanest games played between these old rivals for some seasons, not one penalty being handed out, and the pace was kept going all the way to keep the crowd keyed up with excitement.

Steers, in goal for Lacombe, was undoubtedly the star of the game, and saved his team-mates time after time. Red Deer were pressing a great deal, and shooting hard, but found this goal keeper hard to beat.

Potts, in the nets for Red Deer, played his first game of the season, and will no doubt improve with practice. The following composed the line-ups:

Red Deer: Goal, Potts; defence, Carpenter and Martin; centre, Reid; left, Bell; right, Weber. Subs., Malcolm, Asmundson, Pugh.

Lacombe: Goal, Steers; defence, Steele and Jackson; centre, C. Calkins; left, Ritz; right, Danner. Subs., Calkins, McQuillan.

Referee—Schelal.

Mrs. A. L. Turner announces a Junior beginners' class in fancy dancing to start January 3rd, at two o'clock. Adults' ball room and fancy dancing will be arranged to suit pupils. Advanced pupils to meet at four o'clock every Saturday. For further particulars phone 23.

JOFFRE ITEMS

Miss Newcombe is in Calgary over the holiday season.

Miss Myrtle Blades left on the 24th to spend Christmas and New Year's with her parents in Leduc. Howard Elliott left on Wednesday's train to spend the holiday season in Calgary, the guest of his sister.

David Jacobson went, on the same train to spend the holidays in Camrose.

Stanford Leader is home from the Olds Agricultural College.

Dorothy Blades and Rita Doniey are home for the holiday season from St. Joseph's Convent, Red Deer.

Word has been received that Barbara and Mr. John Russell arrived in Chilliwack, B.C., safely, finding the family all well. Barbara enjoyed the trip very much, stopping off at Calgary and Banff en route.

Miss Hope, who has been teaching the Sattawood school for the past two years, has resigned her position, Miss Ewing taking her place.

R. H. Blades is closing out his entire stock of dry goods and footwear.

B. F. Browner spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Miller. Mr. Tutenburg spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Richardson.

William Starr is in Lacombe hospital undergoing treatment for frozen feet.

On account of the bad storms, which have made the roads impassable, the Christmas concert has been postponed until a later date.

The Willing Workers of the Baptist Church will meet on Friday, January 2nd, at 8.30, in the church. Election of officers for the coming year. Every one is urged to be present.

CARD OF THANKS

The members of the family of the late Mrs. Welton desire to thank all those who were so kind and sympathetic to them during their recent and bereavement.

The Best Furniture Co. are offering their entire line of framed pictures at half price.

LOST—A GREY VEST—RETURN to Munro & Baines. Dec. 30, 1924.

WANTED—A TABLE GIRL, NOT necessarily experienced; good references—Apply Commercial Cafe, Red Deer. Dec. 31, 1924.

GOOD ROOM AND BOARD FOR STUDENTS wishing to attend School of Technology, Calgary, for short or full term. Mrs. J. M. Hart, 444, 12th St. N.W. Dec. 25, 1924.

TO RENT—NICELY FURNISHED House; fully modern—Apply News Office. Dec. 15

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Auction Sale

at—
F. W. GAETZ' FEED BARN, RED DEER, on

Saturday, Feb. 7th

Favored with instructions from a number of owners, I will sell without reserve, by public auction, on the above date, Livestock, implements, Furniture, Harness, Etc.

If you have anything you want to sell, and get the ready cash for, send a list of your stuff at once to

L. A. PARRY

Auctioneer or leave the list at F. W. Gaetz' Feed Barn, Red Deer.

CASH AUCTION SALE

Having received instructions from several owners, I will sell by Public Auction, at the GAETZ BARN, RED DEER, on

Saturday, Jan. 10th

Sale to commence at 1.30 sharp.

Livestock, Implements, Household Furniture and Miscellaneous Articles

Anyone having anything to dispose of is invited to bring same to the place of sale any time before the sale commences.

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Fire Insurance rate is liable to considerably increase early in the New Year. This increase is brought about by the extraordinary heavy farm losses during the past five years. Many companies are withdrawing entirely.

May I assist you to secure the present low rate of \$1.50 for three years coverage. I pass this advance information on to you in order that you may profit thereby. Just phone or write me, and I will give you immediate coverage.

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Happy New Year

At this Holiday Season we think of our customers as our friends. We like to feel that in a broad sense our customers are our partners—that our success is but the reflection of theirs. And so on the eve of a New Year, we extend to you our hearty good wishes

Manning-Sutherland Lumber Co. Ltd

P. C. PEDERSON, Local Manager



A Happy New Year to all our Friends and Customers

TWO SPECIAL WINDOWS—For those who were unable to come in to get Christmas gifts we are making two specials for New Year Gifts.

Toy Window

Big Dolls, Regular \$1.75 Special \$1.29
Steam Engines Special \$1.29
Many other Toys on which we are giving Specials

China Window

Values up to \$2.00 for \$1.39
7-piece Fruit Set, big Salad Bowl, Celery Tray and many other pieces for \$1.39
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NEW YEAR'S DAY - January 1st
at 3.00 p.m.

LACOMBE versus RED DEER
Admission: 35c and 15c